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A PROBABLE SAWRF (SUSPECT ADVANCED WEAPONS RELATED FACILITY) IS IDENTIFIED UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN CHINA AT 34-44-10N 113-50-15E, 10 NM ESE OF CHENGCHOU AND ABOUT 300 NM SSW OF PEKING. THIS IS THE NINTH SAWRF TO BE IDENTIFIED AND THE FOURTH OUTSIDE OF THE SHUANGCHENG TZU AREA. IT CONSISTS OF EXCAVATIONS 600-800 FEET LONG AND 80 FEET WIDE THAT HAVE A PATTERN AND SIZE RESEMBLING THOSE OF KNOWN SAWRFS. THIS EXCAVATING ACTIVITY IS AT THE END OF A NEW RAIL SPUR, 2 NM LONG, WHICH JOINS THE MAIN CHENGCHOU-KAIFENG RAILROAD 7 NM EAST OF CHENGCHOU. AS YET THERE IS NO EVIDENCE OF CORRIDOR CONSTRUCTION. THIRTEEN LARGE EARTH MOVERS AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT ARE LOCATED AT AN ADJACENT VILLAGE. THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF ACTIVITY IN RAILSPUR CONSTRUCTION

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